

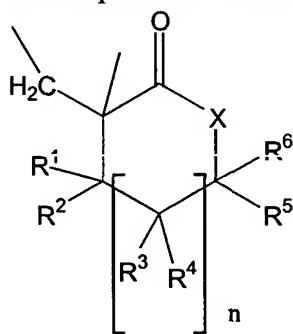
Amendments to Claims

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20. (Original): A composition, comprising:

(e) a fifth polymer comprising the repeat units:

(i) at least about 10 mole percent of the total repeat units of



- (ii) optionally a repeat unit containing a third reactive functional group;
- (iii) up to about 90 mole percent of repeat units derived from one or more monomers which are free radically copolymerizable with (e)(i), and (e)(ii), if present; and

- (f) a sixth polymer which is a thermoplastic and which may optionally containing one or more fourth reactive functional groups which may react with said third functional group;

provided that in said composition (b) is present as a continuous or cocontinuous phase and (a) is present as a dispersed or cocontinuous phase;

and wherein:

n is 0, 1 or 2;

X is -O- or -NR⁹-; and

R¹, R², R⁵, R⁶, each of R³, and each R⁴, are independently hydrogen, a functional group, hydrocarbyl or substituted hydrocarbyl; and

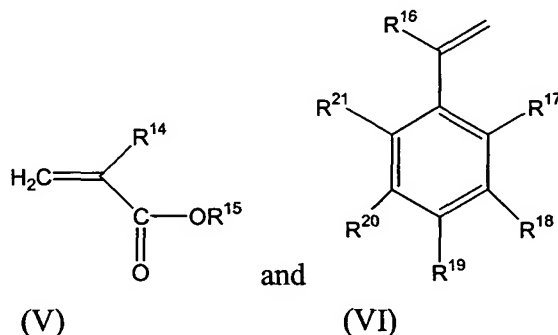
R⁹ is hydrogen, hydrocarbyl or substituted hydrocarbyl.

21. (Original): The composition as recited in Claim 20 wherein R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵ and R⁶ are all independently hydrogen or alkyl containing 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and X is -O-.

22. (Original): The composition as recited in Claim 21 wherein n is 0.

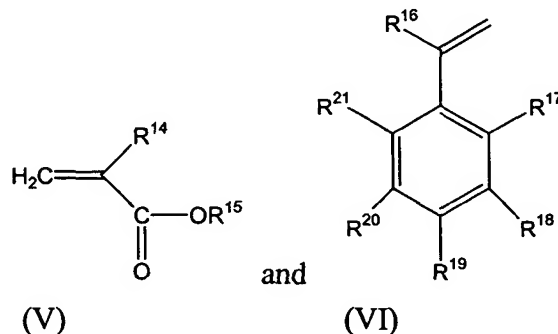
23. (Original): The composition as recited in Claim 22 wherein R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵ and R⁶ are all hydrogen.

24. (Original): The composition as recited in Claim 20 wherein (e)(iii) is derived from one or more of



wherein R¹⁴ is hydrogen or methyl, R¹⁵ is hydrocarbyl or substituted hydrocarbyl, and R¹⁶ is hydrogen or methyl, and R¹⁷, R¹⁸, R¹⁹, R²⁰ and R²¹ are each independently hydrogen, hydrocarbyl substituted hydrocarbyl or a functional group.

25. (Original): The composition as recited in Claim 22 wherein (e)(iii) is derived from one or more of



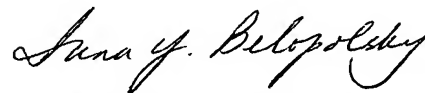
wherein R¹⁴ is hydrogen or methyl, R¹⁵ is hydrocarbyl or substituted hydrocarbyl, and R¹⁶ is hydrogen or methyl, and R¹⁷, R¹⁸, R¹⁹, R²⁰ and R²¹ are each independently hydrogen, hydrocarbyl substituted hydrocarbyl or a functional group.

26. (Original): The composition as recited in Claim 20 wherein (e)(iii) is derived from methyl methacrylate and optionally other copolymerizable monomers.

27. (Original): The composition as recited in Claim 20 wherein (e)(iii) is poly(ethylene terephthalate), poly(butylene terephthalate), nylon-6,6, nylon-6, polyethylene, polypropylene, a liquid crystalline polymer, polystyrene and poly(styrene-co-acrylonitrile), a polyacetal, a polycarbonates or(methyl methacrylate).

Allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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